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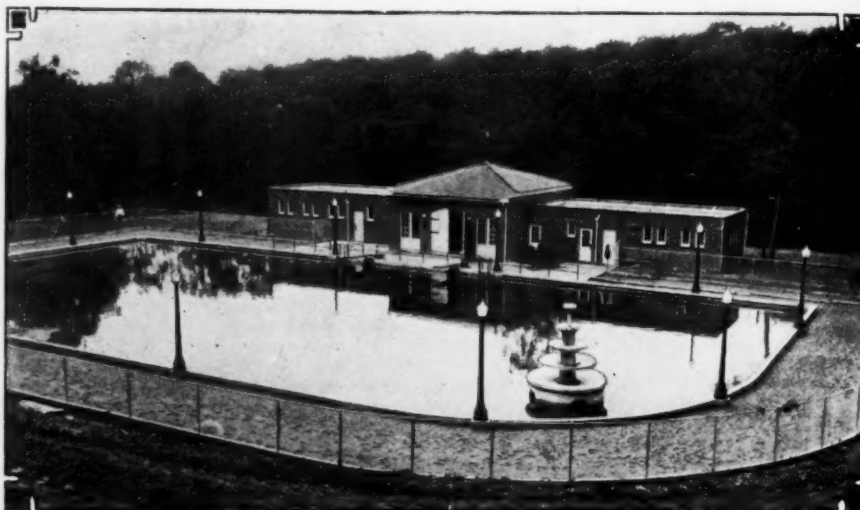
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ASHWORTH PARK, DES MOINES, IOWA  
RIVERVIEW PARK**

**MEETING PLACE FOR 1928**

The Committee on Time and Place of the Conference will be pleased to receive invitations for the entertainment of the organization at its annual meeting in 1928. A description of the customary local arrangements for the meeting and other preliminary information which might be of value to cities wishing to have the Conference meet with them next year can be secured from the Conference office in Columbus. Wherever the Conference goes, it is generally recognized that the meeting will result in a stimulation of social thought and an added interest in local welfare activities.

Members and committees interested in securing the next annual meeting of the National Conference should correspond with the Chairman of the Committee on Time and Place—Mr. Sherman Conrad, Community Chest, Whitney Central Building, New Orleans, Louisiana.

**REDUCED RAILWAY FARES**

The railroad authorities in the United States have granted reduced rates in connection with the annual meeting of the National Conference of Social Work in Des Moines, Iowa, 1927.

Tickets will be sold on the Identification Certificate Plan, and one certificate, accompanied by full instructions, will be sent to each member of the National Conference of Social Work in ample time for securing tickets. Requests for additional certificates should be addressed to the National Conference office, 277 East Long Street, Columbus, Ohio.

**CONFERENCE CO-OPERATING  
PUBLICITY COMMITTEE**

Under the leadership of Evart G. Routzahn of the Department of Surveys and Exhibits, Russell Sage Foundation, a co-operating committee has been organized to assist in the publicity work of the Conference both before and during the meeting. Local publicity representatives have been secured in more than sixty cities and news material is being sent to them regularly. The Conference greatly appreciates the hearty co-operation of this group in making known the value and the results of the Conference.

**HOTEL RESERVATIONS**

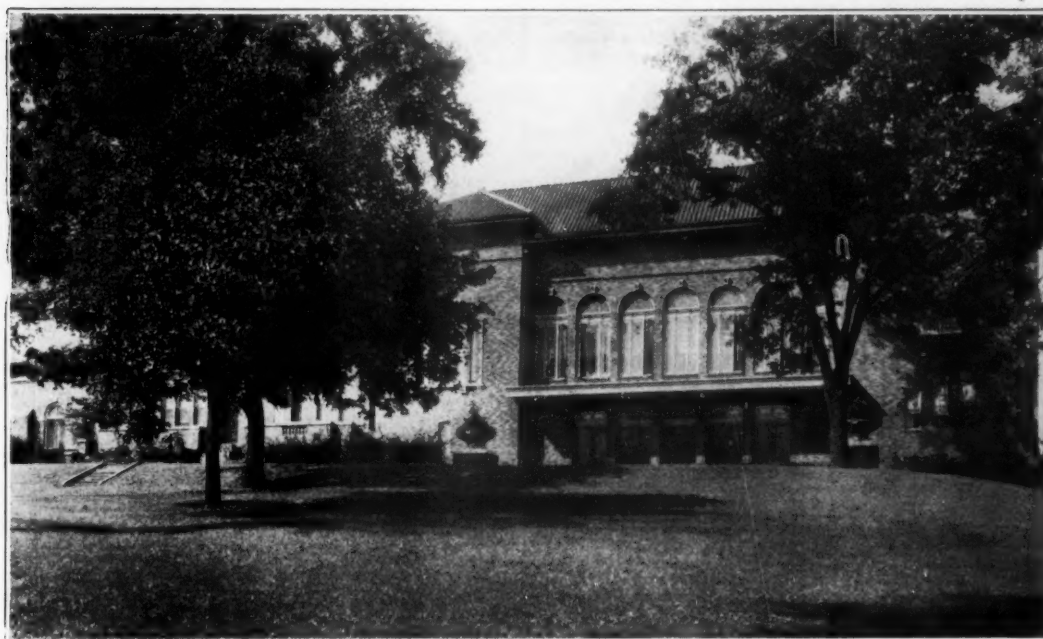
Word comes from Des Moines that a large number of advance hotel reservations have already been received and taken care of. Des Moines has ample hotel facilities to adequately house the Conference but naturally the choice of rooms will go to the early applicants. You are strongly urged to use the blank on page fifteen to make your hotel reservation now. It will be promptly acknowledged from Des Moines.

**WHO WOULD YOU LIKE TO  
VOTE FOR?**

Under the Constitution of the Conference a way is provided through the blank printed on page fifteen for the members of the Conference to indicate to the Nominating Committee the names of persons they would like to see nominated as various officers of the Conference. The Committee on Nominations is anxious for a wide expression of opinion. It is your privilege as a member of the Conference to send this blank in expressing your wishes in the matter to the Chairman of the Committee on Nominations, Miss Amelia Sears, 308 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

## DES MOINES WOMEN'S CLUB

This attractive club house is owned and operated by the Des Moines Women's Club. It contains an attractive auditorium seating 1500 people, art galleries and club rooms and will house a number of social functions of the National Conference.



## CHILDREN'S DIVISION

A Consultation Service for the Children's Division will supply opportunity to discuss your problems with persons experienced in the following special lines. It is planned that the hours shall be:

8:00 A. M.—9:00 A. M. Breakfast conferences.

1:30 P. M.—2:30 P. M.

4:00 P. M.—6:00 P. M.

and at other hours convenient to consultants and questioners.

The service will be located at Conference Headquarters. There will be a permanent secretary through whom all appointments will be made. Consultants in the following fields will be provided:

1. Community Programs of Child Care (Including State and County Work).
2. Children's Case Work (General)
3. Adoptions.
4. Problems of Illegitimacy.
5. Protective and Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children Work.
6. Foster Homes (Boarding, Free, Home-finding)
7. Reception Study and Use of Psychiatric Service.
8. Institutional Program Shaping.
9. Education in Institutions (Including training of cottage mothers)
10. Case Work in the Institution Program.
11. Public Care of Children.
12. Probation and Detention.
13. Health Supervision.
14. Recreation.
15. Programs of Fraternal, Service Clubs, American Legion, etc.

## Consultation Opportunities At The National Conference of Social Work

The outstanding leaders in social work in the United States and Canada will gladly confer with those who write them in advance and request interviews at Des Moines.

Representatives of national organizations, the various "kindred groups," will be found at their desks at Conference Headquarters at announced hours. Appointments with Francis H. McLean and other representatives of the American Association for Organizing Family Social Work will be made at Association headquarters in the First Methodist Church.

The Association of Schools of Professional Social Work will conduct a joint consultation service on all matters concerning professional preparation, and will facilitate consultation with representatives of the various schools.

The Joint Vocational Service representatives will welcome meeting candidates for positions, board members and executives looking for personnel, and those seeking less specific service at the time but whom the Service may be able to serve in the future. A brief interview face to face, about the program of a social agency or about an individual worker's hopes

for professional advancement, is often more illuminating than several letters. Any interview in regard to present or future personnel matters is therefore welcome.

The Committee on Publicity Methods will have an extensive display of materials and aids for publicity and will provide advisory service on all phases of publicity.

The Girls' Protective Council will offer a daily conference hour with workers.

The Survey will have for examination and sale a generous assortment of the latest and best books on social problems and social work; the Russell Sage Foundation will display an assortment of its publications; and various Kindred Groups will show publications, and distribute many of them.

Alexander Johnson former Secretary of the Conference will be present throughout the Conference and maintain a desk at Conference Headquarters to advise with delegates on what meetings to attend and what people to see in order to get the most help for their particular situations. This service is designed particularly for those attending the Conference for the first time.



# The Program - - - Des Moines Meeting

## GENERAL SESSIONS

### Wednesday, May 11th, 8:00 P. M.—Shrine Temple

1. The President's Address—Justice First  
John A. Lapp, Ph. D., President of the National Conference of Social Work and Director of the Department of Social Action of the National Catholic Welfare Conference
2. The Challenge to Democracy  
Chester H. Rowell, Berkeley, Calif.

### Thursday, May 12, 8:00 P. M.—Shrine Temple

- Social Aspects of Rural Life  
Henry Israels, Secretary, American Country Life Ass'n, presiding
1. Economic Problems of the Farm  
Henry A. Wallace, Editor of Wallace's Farmer, Des Moines
  2. The Rural Social Situation  
Grace Abbott, Chief, Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.

### Friday, May 13, 8:00 P. M.—Shrine Temple

- The School and Social Work  
Walter A. Jessup, Ph. D., President, University of Iowa, presiding
1. The School and Social Work  
Howard W. Nudd, Director, Public Education Association, New York
  2. Some Mental Hygiene Studies in Educational Deviates  
Samuel T. Orton, M. D., University of Iowa

### Saturday, May 14th

- First General Business Session of the Conference—Shrine Temple, 9:00 A. M.  
Conference Recreation, 2:30 P. M.  
The President's Reception and Dance, 8:00 P. M.

### Sunday, May 15th, 8:00 P. M.—The Coliseum

- The Church and Social Justice  
Rabbi A. H. Silver, The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio

### Monday, May 16th, 8:00 P. M.—Shrine Temple

- The Modern Treatment of the Criminal
1. What the Criminal Justice Surveys Show  
Alfred Bettman, Attorney at Law, Cincinnati, Ohio
  2. Probation: Its Status and Prospects  
Edwin J. Cooley, Chief Probation Officer, Court of General Sessions, New York City

### Tuesday, May 17th, 8:00 P. M.—Shrine Temple

- Civilian Rehabilitation
1. The Rehabilitation of Disabled Persons  
Charles A. Prosser, Director, Dunwoodie Institute, Minneapolis, Minn.
  2. Rehabilitation of the Physically Handicapped  
R. M. Little, Chief of the Bureau of Rehabilitation, State Department of Education, Albany, New York

### Wednesday, May 18th, 1:00 P. M.—Luncheon

1. The Social Consequences of the Immigration Law  
Jane Addams, Hull House, Chicago
2. International Aspects of Social Work  
Royal Meeker, Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota

## DIVISION I

### CHILDREN

#### Section Meeting I, Thursday, May 12th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division IV, The Family.)  
The Untouched Field of Social Work: The Rural District and Small Town

1. Basic Needs: First Things Come First  
Speaker to be announced
2. Resources for Rural Social Work in Terms of Organization  
Speaker to be announced
3. Personal Resources of the Rural Social Worker without Equipment  
Speaker to be announced

#### Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

(Joint Session with Divisions II, Delinquency, and VII, Mental Hygiene.)

What the Schools Can Do to Prevent Delinquency

1. Understanding and Opportunity for the Problem Child  
Speaker to be announced
2. The Neighborhood School of the Socialized Community  
Speaker to be announced

#### Section Meeting III—Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

The American Child in 1927

1. The Child in the Modern Family: His Advantages and His Handicaps  
Speaker to be announced

2. Child Welfare Work Since the White House Conference  
C. C. Carstens, Child Welfare League of America, New York City
3. Youth and the New Social Order  
Jane Addams, Hull House, Chicago

#### Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

Round Table 1

Chairman, Calvin Derrick, Dean, National Training Schools for Institution Executives  
Better Service by Institutions

Round Table 2

Chairman, J. Prentice Murphy, Children's Bureau, Philadelphia  
The Content of Case Work in Foster Home Care

Round Table 3

(Joint Round Table with Division IX)

Chairman, Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson  
How Can Our State Departments Accomplish Most for Dependent Children?

Round Table 4

Illegitimacy: Present Day Policies and Practice

Round Table 5

Chairman, Harry H. Howett, International Society for Crippled Children  
New Standards in the Care of Crippled Children

#### Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18th, 9 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

Research in the Child Welfare Field

1. Studies of Child Caring by the Federal Children's Bureau  
Grace Abbott, Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.
2. A Study of Intake in Westchester County, New York  
Ruth Taylor, Deputy Commissioner, Dept. of Public Welfare, Westchester County, N. Y.
3. A Community Survey by the Child Welfare League  
Speaker to be announced

## DIVISION II

### DELINQUENTS AND CORRECTION

#### Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12, 11 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

Round Table 1

Chairman Louis N. Robinson, Swarthmore, Pa.  
Judicial Discretion and Parole.

Round Table 2

Chairman, Frederick R. Johnson, Detroit Recorders Court  
Adult Probation—Present Status and Prospects  
Charles L. Chute, Director, National Probation Association

Round Table 3

Chairman, Paul W. Garrett, National Society of Penal Information.  
Self Government in Prisons Today  
William B. Cox, Nat. Society of Penal Informations

Round Table 4

Chairman, E. R. Cass, Secretary, American Prison Association  
Prison Labor in the United States  
Howard B. Gill, Washington, D. C.

Round Table 5

Chairman to be announced  
Workers in Delinquency—Equipment and Training  
Dr. Edith Abbott, University of Chicago  
Women Police  
Chloe Uwings, American Social Hygiene Assn., New York

#### Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

Dr. Hastings H. Hart, Russell Sage Foundation, presiding.

1. Delinquency-breeding Conditions in Rural Life.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. The Rural Jail  
Dr. Hastings H. Hart

#### Section Meeting III—Monday, May 16, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

1. Present Trend of Criminal Legislation  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Law Enforcement vs. Law Observance  
George W. Kirchwey, New York School of Social Work

#### Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

(Joint Session with Division VII, Mental Hygiene.)

1. Present State of Knowledge Regarding the Criminal
2. Criminology and the Law  
Speaker to be announced

#### Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

Dr. Edith Abbott, University of Chicago, presiding

1. A Program of Criminological Research  
Arthur Evans Wood, University of Michigan
2. Evaluation of Recent Crime Surveys  
August F. Kuhlman, University of Missouri

See also programs Division I, Section Meeting II.

### DIVISION III HEALTH

#### Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

- What the Case Worker Should Know About Health
1. How Can the Social Worker Best Safeguard His Health and that of His Client?  
Speaker to be announced
  2. What the Public Health Worker Should Know about Recent Developments in Medical Science  
Dr. Walter L. Biering

#### Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

1. Some Outstanding Activities of Health Associations During the Past Year. A series of five minute papers by representatives of Public Health organizations  
Speakers to be announced

#### Section Meeting III—Saturday, May 14th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

(Joint Session with Division I, Children)  
What Should Social Agencies Do for the Health of Children under their Supervision in Institutions and in their Own Homes?

1. Minimum Health Requirements for Dependent Children  
Dr. H. E. Kleinschmidt, Nat. Tuberculosis Ass'n
2. What is a Normal Child Physically?  
Dr. Fred Moore, Director, Health Service, Public Schools, Des Moines
3. What is a Normal Child Mentally?  
Dr. Emerson A. North, Central Clinic, Cincinnati, Ohio

#### Section Meeting IV—Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

1. What Medical Associations Have Done to Promote Health in Rural Communities  
Speaker to be announced
2. Contribution of Health Demonstrations to the Rural Health Program  
Courtenay Dinwiddie, Director Child Health Demonstrations, Commonwealth Fund, New York City

#### Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18th, 9 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

The Trail of Social Hygiene in Social Work

1. Social Hygiene Problems that Confront You  
Elwood Street, Community Council, St. Louis, Mo.
2. The Relationships of Vision Defects and Venereal Disease  
Dr. B. Franklin Royer, Medical Director, National Committee for the Prevention of Blindness
3. Prevention Versus Salvage  
Dr. Chloe Owings, American Social Hygiene Association

### DIVISION IV THE FAMILY

#### Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12th 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

(Joint Session with Division IX, Public Officials and Administration)

Dr. Ellen C. Potter, formerly Secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Welfare, presiding

1. The Integration of Effort in Theory and Practice by Private and Public Agencies for the Common Good  
Frank J. Bruno, Department of Sociology, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri
- Ruth Taylor, Deputy Commissioner of Public Welfare, Westchester County, New York

Discussion  
Florence Nesbitt, District Superintendent, United Charities, Chicago  
Louise Cottrell, Extension Division, University of Iowa

#### Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

1. Report of a Study of Sources of Income, Standards of Mothers' Work, and of Children's Education in Families Receiving Mothers' Assistance in Pennsylvania  
Emil Frankel, Director of Research and Statistics, Pennsylvania Department of Welfare

2. The Effect of Staff Turnover on Families Under Care, as Demonstrated in Changes of Plan and Treatment and General Tempo of Work  
Dorothy Stabler, Asst. District Secretary, N. Y. Charity Organization Society

3. The Need for an Interpretation of Trends and Accomplishments in Family Social Work  
Dorothy Kahn, Superintendent, Hebrew Benevolent Society, Baltimore

Discussion

#### Section Meeting III—Saturday, May 14th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

Round Table 1  
Chairman, Amelia Sears, Associate Director, United Charities, Chicago

- Specialized Approaches to Family Case Work
1. From the Point of View of the Psychiatrist
  2. From the Point of View of the Social Worker
  3. From the Point of View of the Lawyer
  4. From the Point of View of the Sociologist

Round Table 2  
Chairman, Gertrude Vaile, Executive Secretary and Overseer of the Poor, Ames Social Service League, Ames, Iowa

Analysis of Processes in Rural Family Work  
Round Table 3  
Chairman, Linton Swift, Executive Secretary, American Association for Organizing Family Social Work

Measurements in Family Case Work  
Round Table 4  
Chairman, Ralph G. Hurlin, Director, Department of Statistics, Russell Sage Foundation, New York

Interpretation of Statistical Terms  
Round Table 5  
Chairman, Walter W. Pettit, Assistant Director, New York School of Social Work

Training for Community Leadership in Family Social Work in Cities of Seventy-five Thousand or Less

#### Section Meeting IV—Monday, May 16th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

1. Family Life in the Rural Community  
Ruth Haefner, Child Welfare Research Station, University of Iowa
2. The Use of Committees and Volunteers in Rural Social Work  
Wilma Van Dusseldorp, Executive Secretary, Social Service League, Hardin County, Iowa

H. Ida Curry, State Charities Aid Association, New York City  
Discussion  
Mrs. W. H. Gemmel, Former Chairman of the Board of Child Welfare, Crow Wing County, Minnesota

#### Section Meeting V—Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

Edward D. Lynde, General Secretary, Associated Charities, Cleveland, Ohio, presiding

1. Environmental Conflicts in the Family and Social Life of the Modern Child  
Dr. Henry C. Schumacher, Director, Child Guidance Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio
- Margaret Watson, Family Society, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- Lillian Cowan, Mothers' Assistance Fund, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Discussion  
Elizabeth H. Dexter, Dept. of Education, Newark, N. J.  
(See also programs Divisions I, Section Meeting I; Division X, Section Meeting III; Division XII, Section Meeting V.)

### DIVISION V INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS

#### Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

F. E. Johnson, Federal Council of Churches, New York City, presiding

1. Industry and the Church  
Speakers to be announced

#### Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

1. Industry and Education  
R. L. Cooley, Milwaukee Continuation Schools, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
- Spencer Miller, Jr., Workers Educational Bureau, New York City

#### Section Meeting III—Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

1. Rural Economic Conditions  
Speakers to be announced

#### Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division X, The Immigrant)  
Subject to be announced  
Professor D. D. Lescohier, University of Wisconsin

Charles S. Johnson, Urban League, New York City

#### Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

Round Table 1  
Chairman, Linna Bresette, Chicago, Illinois

Effect of Labor Legislation on Women Workers  
Mary Winslow

Round Table 2  
Chairman, Oscar M. Sullivan, Department of Education, St. Paul, Minnesota

Rehabilitation  
Speakers to be announced

### DIVISION VI NEIGHBORHOOD AND COMMUNITY LIFE

#### Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

1. The Challenge of the Rural Community—Social and Economic  
Professor E. L. Morgan, University of Missouri

Discussion  
Anna Clark, Young Women's Christian Association, New York City

#### Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.

Studies of Rural Communities

Round Table 1  
Methods and Results of Rural Social Research  
Professor George Von Tungeln, Iowa State College

Discussion: Aubrey W. William, Secretary, Wisconsin Conference of Social Work

Round Table 2  
Diagnostic Technique

Discussion: Leroy A. Ramsdell, New York School of Social Work

Round Table 3  
Organization and Administration of the Community Center in a Rural Area

Problems Involved in Group Work

The Juvenile

The Adult

Discussion leader to be announced

#### Section Meeting III—Monday, May 16th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.

1. What Should Be the Direct Effect of Community Activities on Family Life?  
Reverend George P. O'Connor, Director of the Catholic Charitable Bureau, Boston

2. The Farm Bureau and Family Life  
Speaker to be announced

3. Ways in Which Families as Families Participate in Neighborhood Projects in Cities  
Speaker to be announced

**Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**

1. Interrelation Between City and Rural Life  
Jesse J. Steiner, University of North Carolina
2. The Co-operative Movement in Rural Areas  
Speaker to be announced

**Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18th, 11 A. M.—1 P. M.**

1. The Movie: Has It a Social Obligation?  
Honorable Carl E. Milliken, Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, New York
- Discussion  
Experiences as to the Influence of the Movie  
(See also program Division XI, Section Meeting I)

**DIVISION VII****MENTAL HYGIENE****Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**  
Treatment Procedure.

1. Formulating the Problem in Social Case Work with Children  
Dr. Esther Richard, Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.
2. The Place of the Home in Treatment.  
Jeannette Regensburg, Bureau of Children's Guidance, New York City.

**Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.****Round Table 1.**  
Mental Hygiene and Religion.

1. The place of Mental Hygiene in a Program of Religious Education.  
Professor Harrison Elliott, Union Theological Seminary, New York City.

2. Mental Hygiene in the Moral and Spiritual Development of the Child  
Reverend Pryor Grant, General Seminary, New York City.

**Round Table 2.**  
Mental Hygiene and the School.

1. What Can Be Done with the Teachers' Point of View.  
Frances Dummer, Psychiatric Worker, Public School, Winnetka, Ill.
2. Relation of School Maladjustment to Behavior.  
Dr. Eleanor Johnson, Hartford, Connecticut.

**Round Table 3.**  
The Pre-School Child.

1. Motor Stunts and Mental Stability  
Katharine D. Fisher, Leader Pre-School Group, Winnetka, Ill.
2. Personality Problems of the Pre-School Child.  
Speaker to be announced.

**Round Table 4.**  
Problems of Parental Education.

1. Organization of Parent-School Co-operation.  
Elizabeth Dexter, Newark, New Jersey.
2. The Evaluation of Homes in Preparation for Child Placements  
Charlotte Towle, Children's Aid, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

**Round Table 5.**  
Experiments in Adjustment.

1. The Boarding School.  
Jeannette Davis
2. An Experiment in Treatment by Means of a Long Term Camp.  
Mr. Neustetter, Cleveland.
3. Problems of Industrial Re-Education.  
Dr. Emily T. Burr, New York City.

**Section Meeting III—Monday, May 16, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**

1. Mental Hygiene as an Integral Part of the Training for Social Work.  
Dr. Frankwood Williams, Medical Director, Natinoal Committee for Mental Hygiene, New York City.
2. How May Case Work Training Be Adapted to Deal with the Worker's Personal Problems?  
Grace Marcus, Division, Prevention of Delinquency, National Committee of Mental Hygiene.

**Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**

1. What Is the Chief Job of a Mental Hygienist in a Child Caring Agency?  
Dr. Jessie Taft, Children's Aid, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
2. The Problem of Meeting the Needs of the Social Worker Who Refers Cases to the Psychiatric Clinic.  
Christine Robb, Director, Social Service Department, Child Guidance Institute, New York City.

**Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**

1. The Place of the Mobile Clinic in a Rural Community.  
June Lyday, Iowa Mobile Clinic, Iowa City, Ia.
2. Organizing the Community for Mental Hygiene.  
Dr. Stevenson, National Committee of Mental Hygiene.  
(See also programs Divisions I, Section Meeting II, Division II, Section Meeting IV.)

**DIVISION VIII****ORGANIZATION OF SOCIAL FORCES****Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**  
Significance of Social Service Activities of Noonday and Fraternal Groups in Relation to Community Organizations

1. As Viewed by a Social Worker  
C. W. Areson, Director, Department of Group Movements in Child Care, Child Welfare League of America, New York City
2. As Viewed by a Fraternal Group Executive  
Dr. E. B. Mountain, Chief Physician, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, Des Moines.

**Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**  
(Joint Session with Division I, Children)**The Public School as a Social Service Instrument**

1. Limitations of the Public School as a Social Service Instrument.  
Charles M. Perry, Professor of Philosophy, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma
2. Subject and Speaker to be announced

**Section Meeting III—Monday, May 16, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.****The Statistical Side of Social Work**

1. The Necessity of Factual Bases in Planning Community Work  
Dr. Rowland Haynes, Secretary, University of Chicago
2. Non-Statistical Studies of Social Work  
Dr. Stuart A. Queen, Professor of Sociology, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas

**Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.****Round Table 1**

- Qualifications of a Community Chest Executive  
Speaker to be announced

**Round Table 2**

- Social Values of the Confidential Exchange  
Margaret F. Byington, Secretary, Council of Social Agencies, Hartford, Connecticut

**Round Table 3**

- Relation Between National Welfare Organizations and Local Communities  
David L. Holbrook, Secretary National Social Work Council

**Round Table 4**

- The Saturation Point in Community Giving  
Elwood Street, Director Community Fund, St. Louis, Missouri

**Round Table 5**

- Tests of Progress in Community Organization  
Robert W. Kelso, Secretary Boston Council of Social Agencies

**Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**  
Small City and Rural Aspects in Community Giving

1. Organization of Social Work in Cities of 50,000 and Less  
H. A. Waldkoenig, Director, Welfare Fund, Battle Creek, Michigan
2. The Problem of Organizing the Distinctly Rural Community  
E. L. Morgan, Professor of Rural Sociology, University of Missouri

**DIVISION IX****PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND ADMINISTRATION****Section Meeting I—Friday, May 13, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**  
Poor Law Relief

1. Should the Present Tendency to Place a Larger Share of the Relief Total on the Public Department Be Combated or Encouraged, and Why?  
William J. Ellis, Commissioner, Dept. of Institutions and Agencies, New Jersey

2. How Shall We Measure the Results of Our Poor Law Administration?  
Richard K. Conant, Commissioner, Department of Public Welfare, Massachusetts

**Discussion**

- Homer Folks, Secretary, State Charities Aid Society, New York  
Others to be announced

**Section Meeting II—Saturday, May 14th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**  
The County Institution in Rural Social Work

1. The Social Work of County Institutions  
Dr. John L. Gillin, Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin
  2. The Extra-Institutional Services of County Institutions  
H. Ida Curry, State Charities Aid Ass'n, New York
- Discussion



**Section Meeting III—Tuesday, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**  
(Joint session with Division I, Children)

1. Cooperation of Public and Private Child Welfare Agencies  
William Hodson, Welfare Council, New York
2. The Purpose of State Wide Statistics  
Mary S. Labaree, Director, Bureau of Children, Department of Welfare, Pennsylvania

Discussion

**Section Meeting IV—Wednesday, May 18th, 9 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**  
Disease and Dependency

1. The Effect of the Modern Public Health Movement on our Problem of Dependency from the Point of View of the Public Health Worker  
Bleeker Marquette, Public Health Federation, Cincinnati
2. The Effect of the Modern Public Health Movement on our Problem of Dependency from the Point of View of the Social Worker  
Emil Frankel, Statistician, Dept. of Welfare, Pennsylvania

Discussion

(See also program of Division IV, Section Meeting I.)

**DIVISION X****THE IMMIGRANT****Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 A. M.**

1. The Human Effects of the Immigration Law  
Cecelia Razovsky, National Council of Jewish Women
2. Separated Families  
Mrs. Adena Miller Rich, Immigrants' Protective League

Discussion:

Aghavnie Yeghenian, International Institute

**Section Meeting II—Saturday, May 14th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**  
Mrs. Harry Bremer, presiding

1. Our Newest Immigrants—The Mexicans  
Professor D. D. Lescohier, University of Wisconsin
2. Mexicans as Neighbors  
Nellie Foster, Neighborhood House, San Diego, Calif.
3. The American Migrant, the Negro  
Charles S. Johnson, Editor, Opportunity

**Section Meeting III—Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**  
(Joint session with Division IV, The Family)

1. Deportation—The Social Consequences  
Jane Clark, International Migration Service
2. Family Problems Resulting from the Present Deportation System  
Mrs. Gudrun Rom, United Charities, Chicago

Discussion, Edith Abbott, University of Chicago

**Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**  
S. Breckenridge, presiding

1. Is there Undue Crime Among Immigrants?  
Professor E. H. Sutherland, University of Minnesota
2. The Effect of the Cable Act on the Citizenship of Married Women  
Julia Lathrop

**Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**  
Cecelia Rasovsky, presiding

1. What New Studies, New Problems, New Work in the Field of Immigration and Assimilation?  
Reed Lewis, Foreign Language Information Service

Three to five minute speeches with discussion

**DIVISION XI****PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS AND EDUCATION****Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**  
(Joint session with Division VI, Neighborhood and Community Life.)

Education for Social Work in Rural Communities

1. Rural Sociology: Indispensable or Merely Desirable  
Jesse L. Steiner, University of North Carolina
2. Field Practice in Education for Rural Social Work  
E. L. Morgan, Professor Rural Sociology, University of Missouri

**Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**Recent Studies in Processes and Preparation for Social Work  
James E. Cutler, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, presiding

1. Some Findings of the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Survey of the Schools of Social Work  
E. E. Eubank, Professor of Sociology, University of Cincinnati
2. Case Work Jobs Analysed  
Louise C. Odencrantz, American Association of Social Workers, New York City

**Section Meeting III—Monday, May 16, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**

Round Table 1

Chairman, Lucy Carner, Executive, Industrial Department, National Y. W. C. A.  
The Growth of Democratic Organization in Social Work

Round Table 2

Chairman to be announced  
Membership Qualifications for the Association of Professional Social Workers

## Round Table 3

Chairman, E. Franklin Frazier, School of Social Work, Atlanta, Ga.  
Professional Education for Negro Social Workers

## Round Table 4

Chairman, C. C. Carstens, Executive Director, Child Welfare League of America  
Education for Child Welfare Work

## Round Table 5

Chairman, Lillian A. Quinn, Director, Joint Vocational Service, New York  
The Recruiting of the Profession by Social Agencies**Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**

Professional Social Work in a Methodical Country

1. The Organization of Social Workers in Germany  
Dr. Emy Wagner
2. Education for Social Work and State Examinations in Germany  
Dr. Ruth Weiland, Soziale Frauen Schule, Berlin

**Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**

(Joint meeting with the Committee on Relations with Social Agencies of the National Association of Legal Aid Organizations).

The Use by Social Workers of Legal Resources

1. In the Practice of Case Work  
J. Prentice Murphy, Director, Seybert Institution and Children's Bureau, Philadelphia
2. In Constructing Social Programs  
John S. Bradway, Secretary, National Association of Legal Aid Organizations

**DIVISION XII****EDUCATIONAL PUBLICITY****Section Meeting I—Thursday, May 12th, 9:00 A. M.—10:55 A. M.**

1. How to Diagnose Your Public  
Edwin J. Starbuck, Ph. D., Univ. of Iowa,
2. An Experiment in Sounding Public Opinion  
Speaker to be announced
3. A Test of Opinion on Causes of Crime  
William Lewis Butcher, Chairman, Sub-Commission on Causes of Crime of the Crime Commission of New York State

Discussion: Should Studies of Public Opinion be Made as a Basis for Planning Publicity Programs? What Methods of Determining Opinion Are Workable?

**Section Meeting II—Friday, May 13th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**

1. The Farmer Looks at Social Work  
Nelson A. Crawford, Director of Information, U. S. Department of Agriculture
2. A Rural Health Demonstration as a Tool for Public Education  
Speaker to be announced

Discussion: What Characteristic Points of View Should Be Considered in Publicity for Rural Social Work?

**Section Meeting III—Saturday, May 14th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**

The A B C's of Publicity

Round Table 1

Chairman, Evart G. Routzahn, Associate Director, Department of Surveys and Exhibits, Russell Sage Foundation  
The Annual Report—A Clinic. How It Looks; What It Tells; Who Should Receive It

Round Table 2

Chairman, Charles E. Miner, Executive Secretary, Missouri Social Hygiene Association  
News Writing in Small Cities. How to Find News in Social Work; Writing the News Story; Relations with Editors  
Consultant, Leon Whipple, Editor of Department of Life and Letters, The Survey

Round Table 3

Chairman, Sherman Conrad, New Orleans Community Chest  
Annual Meetings. What Are They For; How to Make People Come; How to Make Them Glad They Came  
(There will be no formal speeches at these round tables. Each will be conducted as a clinic or discussion.)**Section Meeting IV—Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**

(Joint session with Committee on Publicity Methods in Social Work)

Social Work Writing

Homer W. Borst, Executive Secretary, Indianapolis Community Fund, presiding

The Magic Gift of Style

Leon Whipple, Editor of Department of Life and Letters of the Survey

**Section Meeting V—Wednesday, May 18th, 11:00 A. M.—1:00 P. M.**

(Joint session with Division IV, The Family)

Margaret E. Rich, Associate Director, American Association for Organizing Family Social Work, presiding

1. The Interpretation of Case Work by the Case Work Method  
Clare M. Tousley, Assistant Director, New York Charity Organization Society
2. Individualizing the Group Approach  
Paul L. Benjamin, General Secretary, Family Service Organization, Louisville, Kentucky
3. The Case Worker as an Interpreter of Case Work  
Marie Dresden, Dist. Sec'y, Family Welfare Ass'n, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION

(Headquarters, Hotel Savary)

The American Association for Community Organization will hold four Round Tables, in addition to its regular opening luncheon (Wednesday, May 11th, and its annual business meeting and election of officers, Monday, May 16th). These Round Tables will be in the nature of informal reports from committees, as follows:

### Wednesday, May 11th

1:00 P. M. Luncheon

3:00 P. M. Informal Round Table to consider a report from the Committee on Social Service Exchanges as to the service that should be given by the American Association for Community Organization on this subject.

### Thursday, May 12th

3:00 P. M. Informal Round Table to discuss a report from the Committee on Research, as to next steps in connection with the gathering and tabulating of statistics of volume and cost of social work in various cities.

### Friday, May 13th

3:00 P. M. Informal Round Table to discuss a report from the Committee on Educational Publicity, with the results of an experiment in evaluating the effectiveness of community chest publicity in two or three cities.

### Monday, May 16th

1:00 P. M. Luncheon. Business meeting.

### Tuesday, May 17th

3:00 P. M. Informal Round Table. Topic not yet selected.

There will be no formal addresses at any of these Round Tables. Presiding officers will be selected when it is definitely known who will attend the Des Moines meeting.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR ORGANIZING FAMILY SOCIAL WORK

### Wednesday, May 11.

10:30 A. M. Business Meeting.

2:30 P. M. Business Meeting.

### Thursday, May 12.

2:30 P. M.

1. The Layman's Participation in Family Social Work. Bertha Bidwell, Freeport, Ill.

2. Contributions to Family Case Work from the newer Fields. Madeline Moore, Charity Organization Society, New York

4:30 P. M. Group Meeting. Visitors and Assistant District Secretaries.

### Friday, May 13.

2:30 P. M.

1. The Psychology of Relief.

Edward D. Lynde.

2. Relief from Public Funds.

Florence Hutsinpillar.

4:30 P. M. Group Meetings.

1. District Secretaries.

2. Small City Secretaries.

6:00 P. M. Dinner for General Secretaries and Supervisors.

### Tuesday, May 17.

2:30 P. M.

1. The Development of our Technique—A Backward and a Forward Look.

Pearl Salsberry.

2. The Family Agency and Community Organization.

Francis H. McLean.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF HOSPITAL SOCIAL WORKERS

Meetings held at Massey Hall

### Monday, May 9.

9:00 A. M. Executive Committee meeting

2:30 P. M. Executive Committee meeting

### Tuesday, May 10.

9:00 A. M. Annual Meeting—Election of officers

2:30 P. M. President's Address, Mrs. Constance B. Webb

Plans for 1927-1928

### Wednesday, May 11.

9:00 A. M. Report of Educational Secretary, Kate McMahon

10:30 A. M. Round Table.

Field Work Teaching for Students

2:30 P. M. Prize Case Discussion

### Thursday, May 12.

2:30 P. M. Program Meeting

Work with Children.

Kathleen Allen.

4:00 P. M. Round Tables.

### Friday, May 13.

2:30 P. M. Joint Meeting with the American Association of Psychiatric Workers.

(See program Am. Ass'n of Psychiatric Social Workers.)

4:15 P. M. "Go Together Tea"—Broad-lawn Hospital

### Saturday, May 14.

1:00 P. M. Luncheon—Fort Des Moines Hotel

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKERS

### Wednesday, May 11th

1:00 P. M. Luncheon

2:00 P. M. Annual Meeting

A Survey of the Year's Progress

Mrs. Maida H. Solomon, Boston Psychopathic Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts

Business Meeting

### Thursday, May 12th

2:30 P. M. Round Table 1

Methods of Treatment in Psychiatric Social Work

Sara Ivins, Bureau of Children's Guidance, New York City

3:30 P. M. Round Table 2

Training for Psychiatric Social Work

1. The Content of Training Courses for Psychiatric Social Workers

Mary C. Jarrett, Boston, Massachusetts

Mildred C. Scoville, Commonwealth Fund

Discussion

Cornelia Hopkins, Institute for Juvenile Research, Chicago

2. Some Suggestions for Advanced Education for Psychiatric Social Workers

Clara Bassett, Vanderbilt Clinic, New York City

### Friday, May 13th

2:30 P. M. Joint session with the American Association of Hospital Social Workers

1. Opportunities for Psychiatric Social Workers in General Hospitals and Dispensaries

Katharine Moore, Michael Reese Dispensary, Chicago

2. Medical and Social Studies of One Hundred Cases Referred by the Courts to the Boston Psychopathic Hospital

Dr. Karl Bowman, Boston Psychopathic Hospital, Boston

### Saturday, May 14th

2:00 P. M. Executive Committee Meeting

(See also program of Division VII, Section Meeting IV.)

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

### Wednesday, May 11.

4:00 P. M. Executive Committee and Council Meeting with dinner at 6:00 P. M.

### Thursday, May 12.

1:00 P. M. Luncheon. Open meeting for members and non-members. Presentation of the analysis of positions in family, medical and psychiatric social work.

Louise Odencrantz, Research Secretary, American Association of Social Workers.

### Monday, May 16.

2:30 P. M. Annual Business Meeting. Backgrounds and Foregrounds in Education for Social Work. Edith Abbott, Dean of Graduate School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago.

6:00 P. M. Student Dinner.

Address: Jane Addams, Hull House, Chicago.

### Tuesday, May 17.

6:00 P. M. Dinner. New Executive Committee and Council Meeting.

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## AMERICAN COUNTRY LIFE ASSOCIATION

### Thursday, May 12th

2:30 P. M. Round Table. Should there be a professional social case worker in every rural county?

(This is a limited discussion group for invited rural leaders and social workers.)

### Friday, May 13th

2:30 P. M. Round Table, continuation of Thursday's discussion.

## AMERICAN RED CROSS

### Friday, May 13th

1:00 P. M. Luncheon

Presiding officer: Judge Hubert Utterbach, Chairman, Polk County Chapter, American Red Cross, Des Moines, Iowa

Family Work in the Rural Community. Miss Louise Cottrell, Extension Director, University of Iowa

Miss Claudine Rodgers, Field Representative, American Red Cross, South Dakota

Miss Gertrude Vaile, Executive Secretary, Social Welfare League, Ames, Iowa

Mr. James L. Fieser, Vice-Chairman, American National Red Cross, Washington, D. C.

## ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK

### Friday, May 13th

6:00 P. M. Dinner meeting for representatives of member schools and their guests at the Hotel Fort Des Moines

Edith Abbott, President of the Association and Dean of the Graduate School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago, presiding

Speakers to be announced

### Tuesday, May 17th

2:30 P. M. Round Table on Recruiting. Discussion opened by representatives of

The Training Schools

National Social Agencies

Local Agencies

The American Association of Social Workers

## BIG BROTHER AND BIG SISTER FEDERATION, INC.

May 9 all day

May 10 all day

May 11, 9:00 A. M.

Joint meetings with the National Probation Association. See their program

1:00 P. M.

Big Brothers with the National Probation Association.

Big Sisters with the Girls Protective Council.

May 12

May 13, 2:30 P. M.

May 14

Big Sisters meet with the Girls Protective Council.

Big Brothers meet with the Committee on Publicity Methods on May 12, and in Round Table discussion on May 13 and 14.

## CHILD WELFARE LEAGUE OF AMERICA

### Wednesday, May 11th

2:30 P. M.

1. How Case Workers Can Keep Abreast of Modern Methods in Child Training

Speaker to be announced

2. Education of Foster Mothers, One Aspect of Supervision

Speaker to be announced



# Groups

## Thursday, May 12th

2:30 P. M.

1. Acceptance and Allocation of Children for Care away from their own Homes

Henry W. Thurston  
Franklin Thomas  
Mary E. Godley  
Alice L. Seligsberg

## Friday, May 13th

- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon—Annual Meeting Executive Director's Report

## Tuesday, May 17th

2:30 P. M.

- Round Table 1  
Use of Volunteers in Case Work  
Speakers to be announced

- Round Table 2  
Use of Volunteers in Institutions  
Speakers to be announced

- Round Table 3  
Purpose and Meaning of Statistics  
Georgia G. Ralph, New York School of Social Work

## COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC AID TO MOTHERS WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN IN THEIR OWN HOMES

### Thursday, May 12.

- 2:30 P. M. Gladys Fisher, Director, Bureau of Child Welfare, Department of Public Welfare, Westchester County, New York, presiding.

1. Minimum Provisions Necessary for a Constructive State Program in Mothers' Aid.  
Emma O. Lundberg, Child Welfare League of America, formerly of the United States Children's Bureau.

2. Standards of Paid Work for Mothers and Standards of Children's Education in Families Receiving Mothers' Aid.  
C. Pearl Clark, Supervisor, Mothers Pensions, Denver

### Tuesday, May 17.

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

- Mary F. Bogue, Chairman, Committee on Public Aid to Mothers with Dependent Children in Their Own Homes, presiding.

1. Methods of Training for Family Case Workers in the Mothers' Aid Field.  
Gladys Fisher, Director, Bureau of Child Welfare, Department of Public Welfare, Westchester County, N. Y.  
Neil F. Collopy, Director, Mothers' Pension Department, County of Cuyahoga, Cleveland, Ohio.  
Rose Porter, Executive Secretary, Mothers' Assistance Fund, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

## COMMITTEE ON PUBLICITY METHODS IN SOCIAL WORK

### Wednesday, May 11.

6:00 P. M. Dinner, Chairman, Homer W. Borst.

- Telling the World to Come to the National Conference.  
Awards to Local Publicity Representatives.  
Edwin C. Jones, United Charities, Chicago.

### Thursday, May 12.

2:30 P. M. Group Discussions.

- Group 1—The Job of the Publicity Worker.  
Leader—Mary Clarke Burnett, Department of Social Work, Carnegie Institute of Technology.

A case conference on what executives expect of publicity workers and what expectations are reasonable.  
Cases presented by Lillian Quinn, Joint Vocational Service.

- Group 2.—New Devices for Campaign Window Displays and Street Decorations.

Leader—Dwight R. Furness, Director of Publicity, Board of Education, Methodist Episcopal Church, Chicago.

- Clinic on Display Material; consideration of plans for joint purchases.

- Group 3.—Participation of Volunteers as an Educational Method.

Leader—Homer W. Borst.

New ideas reported and discussed.

6:00 P. M. Dinner, Chairman, Paul U. Kellogg, Editor, The Survey.  
Publicity for Unpopular Causes.

1. Causes Subject to Attack by Adverse Interests.  
Mrs. Florence Kelley, National Consumers' League.

2. When Prejudice Must Be Overcome.  
R. Maurice Moss, Baltimore Urban League.

Discussion:  
Public Opinion and Strikes.

### Friday, May 13.

2:30 P. M. Group Discussions.

- Group 1. Joint meeting with American Association for Community Organization.  
Chairman, Charles C. Stillman, Committee on Educational Publicity, American Association for Community Organization.

The Inquiring Reporter as a Method of Testing the Effects of Community Chest Publicity.

- Group 2. Rural Newspaper Publicity.  
Leader, Mary Swain Routzahn.  
Consultant, Nelson A. Crawford, Director of Information, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

- Group 3. How to Get the Subject Before the Meeting.  
Leader, Evert G. Routzahn.

Can We Do Away With Papers and Addresses?

- 6:00 P. M. Dinner.  
Recent Adventures in Arousing Interest.  
A series of five minute reports of publicity stunts carried out in different cities.

### Monday, May 16.

6:00 P. M. Dinner.

- Projects for the Coming Year (Members Meeting).

- Shall Awards Be Given for Publicity?  
Are Regional Publicity Institutes Desirable?  
Can a Social Platform Be Prepared to Guide Publicity Workers?

### Tuesday, May 17.

2:30 P. M. Group Discussions.

- Group 1. Evaluation of Social Statistics.

Leader, Homer W. Borst.  
Critic, Ralph C. Hurlin, Department of Statistics, Russell Sage Foundation.

- Group 2. Educational Slants in News Stories.  
Leader, Paul S. Bliss, Minneapolis Community Fund.

Consultant, Leon R. Whipple, Department of Journalism, New York University.

Other group discussions will be arranged on request.

6:00 P. M. Dinner.

- Results of the Short Story Contest.  
Announcement of Prize Winners.  
Clare M. Tousley, Chairman, New York Committee on Publicity Methods.

Report of the Contest.

Social Work Motion Pictures arranged by Paul S. Bliss, 4:30 P. M. several afternoons.

Exhibits of Publicity Material at Committee Headquarters continuous.

## COMMITTEE ON RELATIONS WITH SOCIAL AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LEGAL AID ORGANIZATIONS

### Wednesday, May 18th

- 9:00 A. M. Joint meeting with Division XI, Professional Standards and Education.  
The Use by Social Workers of Legal Remedies.

- (a) In Constructing Social Programs. John S. Bradway, Esquire, Secretary of the National Association of Legal Aid Organizations.

- (b) In the Practice of Case Work.  
J. Prentice Murphy, Executive Secretary of the Children's Bureau, Philadelphia.

## GIRLS' PROTECTIVE COUNCIL

### Wednesday, May 11

9:00 A. M. Registration, New Shrine Temple

2:00 P. M. Round Table.

Stella A. Miner, presiding

1. The Problem Girl in Industry.
2. The Value of Mental and Vocational Tests in Placements.  
Dr. Emily T. Burr, Vocational Adjustment Bureau, New York
3. Vocational Training.  
Speakers to be announced

### Thursday, May 12.

1:00 P. M. Luncheon. Joint Meeting with International Association of Policewomen (Hotel Savery)

Mrs. Eva Whiting White, presiding.

1. Youth and the Community.
1. The Public School  
Marguerite Mealey, White-Williams Foundation, Philadelphia
2. The Policewoman and the Private Agency  
Dorothy Henry, Cleveland
3. Making Youth an Asset

### Friday, May 13.

2:00 P. M. Round Table.

Jessie F. Binford, presiding.

1. Community Responsibility for Conditions Surrounding Youth.
2. The Place of the Volunteer in Protective Work.  
Henrietta Additon, Big Sisters, Philadelphia

### Saturday, May 14.

2:00 P. M. Round Tables.

Round Table 1.

Sabina Marshall presiding.

Housing for Girls.

1. Temporary Homes.  
Ethel N. Cherry, Girls Service League of America, New York
2. Boarding Homes.  
Mrs. E. H. McIntosh, Women's Welfare League, Minneapolis

Round Table 2.

Mrs. Robbins Gilman presiding

Minimum Standards for Case Work.

1. Records.  
Verna Smith, Women's Protective Association, Cleveland
2. Co-operation with Agencies.  
Harriet Goldman, Girls' Welfare League, Pittsburgh
3. Psychiatry as an Aid.  
Dr. Henry C. Schumacher, Child Guidance Clinic, Cleveland

### Monday, May 16

3:00 P. M. Annual Business Meeting.

### Daily at 4:00 P. M.

Personal Conference with Executives at Headquarters of the Girls' Protective Council, New Shrine Temple. Literature and Information can be secured here.

## HOME ECONOMICS GROUP

### Friday, May 13.

1:00 P. M. Luncheon, Annual Meeting.

2:30 P. M. Round Table.

Newer Knowledge of Family Finance.  
Speaker to be announced.

### Tuesday, May 17.

2:30 P. M. Joint Meeting with Division IV, The Family. Emotional Factors in Nutrition Work with Children.  
Dr. George J. Mohr, Institute of Juvenile Research, Chicago

## INTER-CITY CONFERENCE ON ILLEGITIMACY

### Tuesday, May 17th

1:00 P. M. Luncheon

The Unmarried Mother—Psychiatric Viewpoint

Dr. H. C. Schumacher, Director, Cleveland Child Guidance Clinic

2:30 P. M. Annual Business Meeting  
(See also program of Division I, Section Meeting IV.)

### INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF POLICEWOMEN

#### HEADQUARTERS, HOTEL SAVERY

##### Monday, May 9.

- 9:00 A. M. Registration.  
10:00 A. M. Reports of Committee Chairmen.
1. Report of Committee on Standards and Methods. Jessie F. Binford, Juvenile Protective Association, Chicago.
  2. Report of Sub-Committee on Organization. Martha Randall, Department of Police, Portland, Oregon.
  3. Report of Sub-Committee on Qualifications of Policewomen. Chloe Owings, American Social Hygiene Association, New York City.
- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon Meeting—Committee Reports Continued.
1. Report of Sub-Committee on Community Conditions. Eleanor L. Hutzler, Department of Police, Detroit.
  2. Report of Sub-Committee on Case Work Problems. Dorothy D. Henry, Department of Police, Cleveland.
- 4:30 P. M. President's Reception and Tea.
- 8:00 P. M. Commercial Recreation.
1. The Motion Picture. Hon. Carl E. Milliken, Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, New York City.
  2. The Dance Hall. P. T. Harmon, Dreamland Ballroom, Chicago.

##### Tuesday, May 10.

- 10:00 A. M. Joint Meeting with National Probation Association.  
(See program of National Probation Association.)
- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon. Regional Meeting. Reports by Regional Directors.
- 8:00 P. M. The Policewoman in Court.
1. Acquiring and Presenting Evidence.
  2. What Constitutes a Court Case. Speakers to be announced.

##### Wednesday, May 11.

- 9:00 A. M. Business Meeting.
- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon. Joint meeting with Girls' Protective Council.  
Protective Work.  
(See program, Girls' Protection Council.)  
General discussion after the speakers at all meetings.

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF VISITING TEACHERS

##### Thursday, May 12.

- 2:30 P. M. Round Table.
1. How May We Regulate Number and Type of Cases Through Constructive Planning?
  2. The Teacher's Part in Treatment.

##### Friday, May 13.

- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.  
Recent Developments in the Visiting Teacher Field.
- 2:30 P. M. Round Table.
1. Under What Plan of Organization Does Visiting Teacher Work Best Maintain Its Standards?
  2. What Preparation Should the Superintendent Demand for his Visiting Teachers?
- (See also Programs Division VII, Section Meeting I and Division I, Section Meeting II)

### NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTES

##### Sunday, May 8.

- 8:00 P. M. Importance of a Knowledge of Political Issues in Other Countries and Trends in Internationalism for Social Workers Dealing with Nationality Groups.

##### Monday, May 9.

- 9:00 A. M.
1. Business of the Conference.
  2. Needs and Opportunities for Original Research on Present International Institute Problems.
- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.
1. Travel in Homelands of Immigrants as Indispensable Training for Institute Work.
- By twelve Americans who have done it
- 2:30 P. M. Group Meetings.
1. Committee Members.
  2. Nationality Workers.
  3. Executives and Assistants.
- Discussion.

- 8:00 P. M. Business of the Conference—Consideration of Proposals for Reorganization of Conference.

##### Tuesday, May 10.

- 9:00 A. M.
1. Business Session.
  2. Report of Commission on Inquiry on Place and Future of International Institutes (Commission III)
- Discussion
- 2:30 P. M. Business Session. Conference divided into small cross section groups for purpose of thorough discussion.
- 8:00 P. M. Adult Education as Applied to Special Needs of Transplanted Peoples.

##### Wednesday, May 11.

- 9:00 A. M.
1. Business Session.
  2. Report of Commission I—Training for International Institute Work. Report of Commission II—The Problems of the Second Generation.
- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.  
The Program of International Institutes. (The public is invited to attend this luncheon.)

- May 12-17, Round Tables. Technical Subjects—Five periods to be scheduled afternoons throughout the National Conference of Social Work.

### NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL SERVICE OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

#### HEADQUARTERS, BROWN HOTEL.

##### Wednesday, May 11.

- 10:30 A. M. Business meeting.
- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon at Y. W. C. A.
- John A. Lapp, LL. D., President of the National Conference of Social Work and Director, Department of Social Action, National Catholic Welfare Conference.
- 2:30 P. M.
1. Statement from the National Department, Reverend Charles N. Lathrop.
  2. Provincial Organization and Work. George E. Bedinger, Secretary of the Commission on Social Service of the Third Province and Executive Director, Public Charities Association of Pennsylvania.
  3. The Field and Work of the Diocesan Department. The Reverend Donald Wonders, Chairman of the Diocese of Ohio.

##### Thursday, May 12.

- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon at the Y. W. C. A. under the auspices of the Church Mission of Help. Round Table Discussion on "Unadjusted Young People. Members of all of the Conferences invited.
- 2:30 P. M. Educating the Parish in Social Mindedness.
- The Reverend Harold Holt, Assistant Secretary, Department of Christian Social Service.

##### Friday, May 13.

- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon at the Y. W. C. A. under the auspices of the Girls' Friendly Society. Subject and speaker to be announced.
- 2:30 P. M.
1. Religious Approach to Social Problems. Stuart A. Queen, Ph. D., Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Kansas. Rev. Edward S. White, St. Louis, Mo.
  - 4:00 P. M. The Community Agencies as the Rector's Helpers. Ruth Hill, Am. Ass'n for Organizing Family Social Work

##### Saturday, May 14.

- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon at the Y. W. C. A. The Relation of Social Work to the Church.
- Dr. Frank J. Bruno, Department of Social Work, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri.

### 21ST ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE NATIONAL PROBATION ASSOCIATION

#### (Headquarters, Hotel Savery)

All persons interested in the social treatment and prevention of delinquency are invited to attend and participate in this conference.

##### Monday, May 9th

- 10:00 A. M.
- Dr. Charles Platt, President, National Probation Association, presiding
1. Addresses of Welcome  
The Governor of Iowa  
The Mayor of Des Moines
  2. President's Address  
Dr. Charles Platt
  3. The Training and Selection of Case Workers  
Frank J. Bruno, Professor of Sociology, Washington University, St. Louis
- Discussion  
Fred R. Johnson, Chief Probation Officer, Recorder's Court, Detroit
- 2:00 P. M.
- Honorable L. B. Day, Judge, Court of Domestic Relations, Omaha, presiding
1. Domestic Relations Problems as the Judge Sees Them  
Honorable Frank L. Covert, Circuit Court, Pontiac, Michigan
  2. Domestic Relations Problems from the Point of View of the Probation Officer  
Josephine Roche, Chief Probation Officer, Juvenile and Family Court, Denver, Colorado
  2. Results of the Study of Domestic Relations Courts by the Federal Children's Bureau  
Kathryn Lenroot, Assistant to the Chief, Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.
  4. Report of the Committee on "Domestic Relations Courts"  
Mary E. McChristie, Referee, Domestic Relations Court, Cincinnati, Chairman

##### Discussion

- Judge George H. Day, Police Court, Hartford, Connecticut
- 6:00 P. M. Dinner for Committee on Domestic Relations Courts
- 8:00 P. M.
- Dr. Charles Platt, presiding
1. Probation, a Sound Judicial Principle  
Justice M. B. Rosenberry, Supreme Court of Wisconsin, Madison
  2. Probation Standards  
Edwin J. Cooley, Chief Probation Officer, Court of General Sessions, New York City
  3. Crime Commissions—What Can Be Done with Them  
Professor Raymond Moley, Columbia University, New York City, and Advisor of the National Crime Commission

##### Tuesday, May 10th

- 9:30 A. M.
- (Joint Session with the International Association of Policewomen.)
- Police and Preventive Measures
1. "Police Science"  
August C. Vollmer, Chief of Police, Berkeley, Calif., and Special Consultant to the Police Dept., Detroit
  2. "The Courts and the Police"  
Hon. E. Miles Norton, Judge, Circuit Court, Crown Point, Ind.
  3. "The Probation Officer and the Police"  
Jesse P. Smith, Chief Probation Officer, Juvenile Court, St. Louis
- General Discussion
4. "Unused Social Resources for the Prevention of Crime"  
Louis Butcher, Boys Work Director, Children's Aid Society, New York City, and a member of the New York State Crime Commission
- 12:30 P. M. Luncheon of the National Council of State Representatives. Anne E. O'Brien, Chief Probation Officer, Juvenile Court of Hartford, presiding
- 2:00 P. M. Round Table  
State and County Organization of Probation  
Emma O. Lundberg, presiding

The various state plans for state and county organization and development of welfare work especially as it relates to rural probation work will be discussed briefly by as many of the directors of this work or their representatives as can be brought to the meeting.

##### 6:00 P. M.

1. Dinner for Judges  
Honorable George C. Appell, Judge, Children's Court, Westchester County, New York, presiding
  2. Dinner for Rural Probation Workers
- 8:00 P. M.
- Mrs. W. F. Dummer, Member, Board of Directors, National Probation Association, Chicago, presiding



1. Youth and the Current Moralities  
Dr. Glenn Frank, President, University of Wisconsin
2. The Tie-up of Psychiatry and Social Work with Delinquents  
Dr. Herman Adler, State Criminologist, Illinois
3. Probation in Its Relationship to Other Social Work  
Dr. Edward T. Devine, author and lecturer, New York City

**Wednesday, May 11th**

9:30 A. M.

Honorable Mary M. Bartelme, Judge, Juvenile Court of Chicago, Vice-President of the Association, presiding

1. The Technique of Juvenile Guidance  
J. C. Ostredo, Chief Officer, Juvenile Court, San Francisco, California
2. Probation Case Discussion
3. Report on Probation Legislation Proposed and Enacted Since the Last Conference  
Francis H. Hiller, Field Secretary, National Probation Association
4. Report of the Committee on Records and Statistics  
Frank H. Drown, Statistician, Municipal Court, Philadelphia, Chairman
5. Juvenile Court Statistics  
Alice S. Nutt, Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.
6. Report of the Committee on Run-away Children  
Nannie Oppenheimer, Probation Officer, Juvenile Court, Pittsburgh, Chairman

11:30 A. M. Business Session

Dr. Platt, presiding

1:00 P. M. Annual Luncheon

Honorable Hubert Utterback, Judge, District Court, Des Moines, presiding

1. The Boy—Can He Be Ruled by Fear?  
Honorable Horace W. Fitch, County Judge, Canandaigua, New York
2. Probation Service in Relation to the Entire Field  
John A. Lapp, Ph. D., President, National Conference of Social Work  
Rev. Medbury, Pastor, University Church of Christ, Des Moines

For information address the National Probation Association, 370 Seventh Avenue, New York City.

**NATIONAL TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION****Friday, May 13th**

1:00 P. M. A luncheon of tuberculosis workers will be held at the Grant Club. Tickets may be procured at the information desk.

Office hours will be kept by a representative of the National Tuberculosis Association at Conference Headquarters, Shrine Temple.

**STATE CONFERENCE SECRETARIES****Wednesday, May 11th**

10:00 A. M. Round Table

How to Develop a Successful State Conference

1. Different Methods of Financing
2. How to Build Membership
3. How to Stimulate Attendance

12:30 P. M. Luncheon Meeting

Discussion

1. The Conference Study Course Plan
2. The Regional Conference

2:30 P. M. Round Table  
Program Building, with Emphasis on the Art of Discussion

**THE SURVEY****Friday, May 13th**

4:00 P. M. Survey Tea. Readers and friends of The Survey cordially invited. Place to be selected. The Fourth Quarterly Harmon Awards will be made for articles on "What is New and True in Social Work?" William E. Harmon hopes to be present to make the presentations in person.

**ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF TRAVELERS AID SOCIETIES**

Hotel Chamberlain

**Wednesday, May 11th**

9:00 A. M. Registration.

10:00 A. M.

Marcus L. Ball, President, presiding.  
Report of Field Work for 1926.

Organization—A Problem in Human Relationships.  
Sherrard Ewing, National Director.  
Miss Emma Phinney, National Staff of the Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. Frances W. Hawes, Cleveland  
2:30 P. M.

President's Message—Marcus L. Ball  
Treasurer's Report—James G. Blaine, Jr.

Appointment of Committees

Service to Immigrants

Bruno Lasker, New York City

Mrs. E. G. Lugo, San Antonio

Mrs. K. R. MacGuffey, Detroit

Miss Virginia M. Murray, New York

**Thursday, May 12th**

8:00 A. M. Executives' Breakfast.

Travelers Aid Technique

Approach—The Policy of Refer and Transfer

Mrs. Grace Nesbit, Jacksonville

Miss Marie C. Judge, Baltimore

Miss Ruth Elmer, Sacramento

2:30 P. M.

Manifestations of Mental Disorder  
Speakers to be announced

**Friday, May 13th**

8:00 A. M. Executives' Breakfast

Making Monthly Reports

Miss Margaret Renkin, Houston

Miss Clara B. Higby, St. Paul

Miss Dorothy B. de la Pola, Seattle

2:30 P. M.

Reports of Committees

Election of Directors

The Uses of Versatility

Rowland Haynes, University of Chicago

Mrs. Edith Hennessey, West Palm Beach

Mrs. W. L. Murdoch, Birmingham, Alabama

**Saturday, May 14th**

8:00 A. M. Executives' Breakfast

Developing the Interest of the Staff

J. Lawrence Solly, Philadelphia

Miss Anne Tracy, Cincinnati

Mrs. Ruth M. Kilpatrick, Bridgeport

**NATIONAL CATHOLIC WELFARE CONFERENCE****Monday, May 16.**

6:00 P. M. Dinner Meeting, with Bishop Drumm as the principal speaker.

**NATIONAL CHILDREN'S HOME AND WELFARE ASSOCIATION****Tuesday, May 10th**

2:30 P. M.

What Social Workers Should Know  
About Syphilis

Bernard C. Roloff, Superintendent  
Illinois Social Hygiene League

New Psycho-Social Study of Dependent  
Children

S. W. Dickinson, Minnesota Children's  
Home Society

6:00 P. M. Annual Banquet. Yonkers

Tea Room, Yonkers Department Store  
Roll Call of Societies

Business  
Why Kid Ourselves

W. F. Johnson, Superintendent New  
York Children's Aid Society

**Wednesday, May 11th**

9:00 A. M.

How Can We Best Assist Judges in  
Rural Communities in Solving the  
Problem of Dependent Children?

Major Edwin H. Sands, Des Moines  
Bureau of Child Welfare

Developing County Local Boards  
C. V. Williams, Superintendent Illinois  
Children's Home and Aid Society

2:00 P. M. Round Table

Clinic of Problem Cases, The Unmar-  
ried Father, and Others

Miss Hazel McCarthy, Wisconsin  
Children's Home Society

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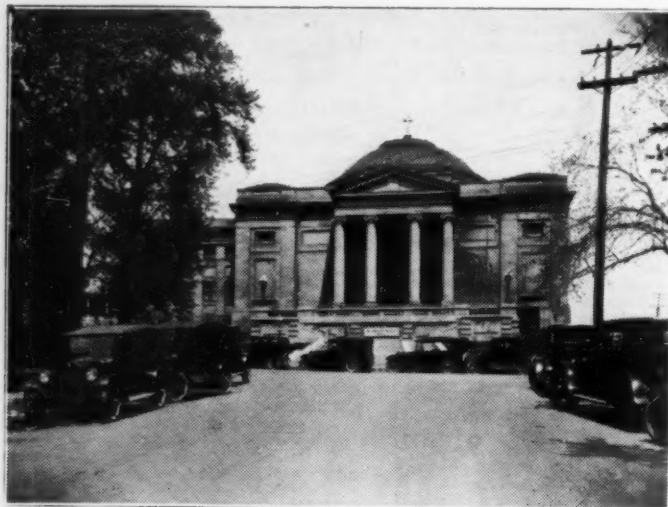
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### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

One of a group of splendid churches in close proximity to the Shrine Temple which offers unusual accommodations for Division and Kindred Group meetings.

## SPECIAL FEATURES

### DIVISION PROGRAMS

According to a plan worked out last fall, division committees have built their programs this year with several specific interests in mind. Every Division will have at least one session on some rural phase of its field. Several have arranged one program on new fact material or some subject relating to research within the scope of their Divisions' interest. A general meeting designed particularly for persons not so much interested in matters of technique as in an understanding of the problem as a whole has been provided in most of the Divisions. There are many joint meetings of two or more Divisions for the presentation and discussion of common problems from different points of view. Nine Divisions will each hold a series of simultaneous round table discussions designed to bring smaller groups into intimate discussion.

The time schedule has been arranged so far as feasible, so that a delegate may follow through the meetings of a Division without conflict or can attend, for example, the rural sessions of several Divisions. Each type of meeting will be indicated by an appropriate symbol in the final program to make it easy to find the meeting desired.

### EDUCATION DAY

Friday, May 13th, has been designated as Education Day. The evening session will be devoted to the subject,

"The School and Social Work". During the morning, some of the Divisions and in the afternoon several Kindred Groups have planned programs of interest not only to social workers but to school superintendents, and teachers. Subjects involving the relationship of schools and social agencies in dealing with various forms of social maladjustment particularly affecting children will be discussed. The Iowa State Teachers Association and the State Department of Education are urging school officials to attend the Conference particularly on this day.

### STUDENT DAY

Monday, May 16th will be marked by an unusually large attendance of upper class and graduate students from Iowa College and Universities. The programs during the day will have much material of interest and value, although not specifically planned for them. During the afternoon, there will be ample opportunity for students interested in professional social work to consult with national leaders in various fields and with the representatives of various training schools.

Under the auspices of the American Association of Social Workers, a dinner meeting for the student group will be held at the First M. E. Church directly across the street from Headquarters at 6:00 P. M. with Jane Adams as the speaker. Other outstanding leaders in social work will also be present.

### SATURDAY AFTERNOON

According to the established custom, Saturday afternoon, May 14th, is left free for recreation. The Des Moines Committee on Entertainment is planning an unusual affair for the Conference. It is rumored that the entire Conference group will be taken to Riverview Park for the afternoon, where tickets to all the amusements will be furnished. These includes boating on the lagoon, dancing, and the many other attractions that will furnish relaxation from the stress and strain of "conferencing". It is also suspected that supper will be served in the form of an old-fashioned barbecue. However tentative plans are now, it is certain that Des Moines will provide an unusual and long-to-be-remembered occasion.

### THE PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

The President's Reception on Saturday evening, May 14th, will probably be held at the State Capitol. Situated on a hill overlooking the city with a spacious park surrounding, it will give one of the finest settings for the Reception that this occasion has ever enjoyed. Following the reception there will be dancing and an opportunity to visit with old friends and meet new ones.

### WAKONDA COUNTRY CLUB

One of the finest clubs in the middle-west, situated south of Des Moines, commanding a wonderful view of the city. This is one of several delightful outing places for which Des Moines is noted. In addition, the city has approximately 1000 acres devoted to parks and playgrounds, public golf courses, and other recreational facilities.



### WHY GO TO THE CONFERENCE?

The best interests of social work are served when workers go away from their jobs at least twice during the year; once in order to forget work completely during the annual vacation, and again to refurbish their professional equipment and to check up their methods by comparing them with what others in the field are doing. Everyone needs both the let down of a vacation and the keying up such as he gets from attendance at the National Conference of Social Work, meeting this year at Des Moines, May 11-18.

In the smaller communities the probation officer or the family visitor, or the secretary of the public health association may be the only worker of his kind. This isolation is partly compensated by the annual meeting with his fellow workers. So keen, indeed is the desire of the average worker for new ideas and exchange of experience that we get mental indigestion from trying to take in most of the 200 meetings provided by 12 Conference divisions and 30 kindred groups.

In order to get the most out of the Conference he must select from the wealth of material offered, just as a student must choose from the list of courses in his college curriculum. The person who knows what he wants can find it at the Conference in personal consultation with leaders, facilities for which are provided; in new books which are displayed at headquarters; in the round table meetings of small groups which are being arranged in unusual numbers this year; as well as in the more formal programs.

### IMPORTANT NOTICES

Conference Headquarters, with Registration and Information service will open at 1:00 P. M., Tuesday, May 10th, in the Shrine Temple. Immediately after getting located in your hotel, you should register at Headquarters and secure your program, etc.

Conference members are requested to bring their membership cards with them. It helps to avoid confusion and misunderstanding in case of any question about the voting privilege.

A registration fee of twenty-five cents is charged all who register. This helps defray some of the incidental expenses of the Conference.

### CHURCH CO-OPERATION

Under the leadership of Reverend B. R. MacHatton, a committee of clergymen representing all denominations is working with the local committee. Many of the churches in Des Moines will have a well known social work leader as the speaker on Sunday morning. Others will emphasize social work in the service. Practically all of the local churches will combine their evening services with the Conference session at the Colosseum.

In order that the value of the Conference may reach all of Iowa, this committee is actively working through the various denominations under the slogan—"a delegate to the National Conference of Social Work from every church in Iowa."

### DES MOINES, IS PREPARED

Governor John Hammill is Honorary Chairman and Gerard S. Nollen, President of the Bankers Life Company, is Chairman of the Iowa and Des Moines Committees on Arrangements for the National Conference of Social Work. These joint committees numbering in all seventy representative Iowa citizens are the leaders of a much larger group which is already busy on plans for making the 54th Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Social Work a success. Ralph J. Reed, Public Welfare Bureau, is Executive Secretary of the General Committee.

The following committees are at work under the Chairmen indicated:

#### Committee on—

Attendance Promotion—Mrs. Max Mayer, 8th and Forest Streets.

Church Co-operation—Reverend B. R. MacHatton, 4425 Kingman Ave.

Entertainment—E. H. Mulock, 202 R. U. L. Building.

Exhibits—Charles Pye, 416 Shops Building.

Information—Miss Effie Doan, 205 Plymouth Building.

Meeting Places and Housing—George E. Hamilton, Chamber of Commerce.

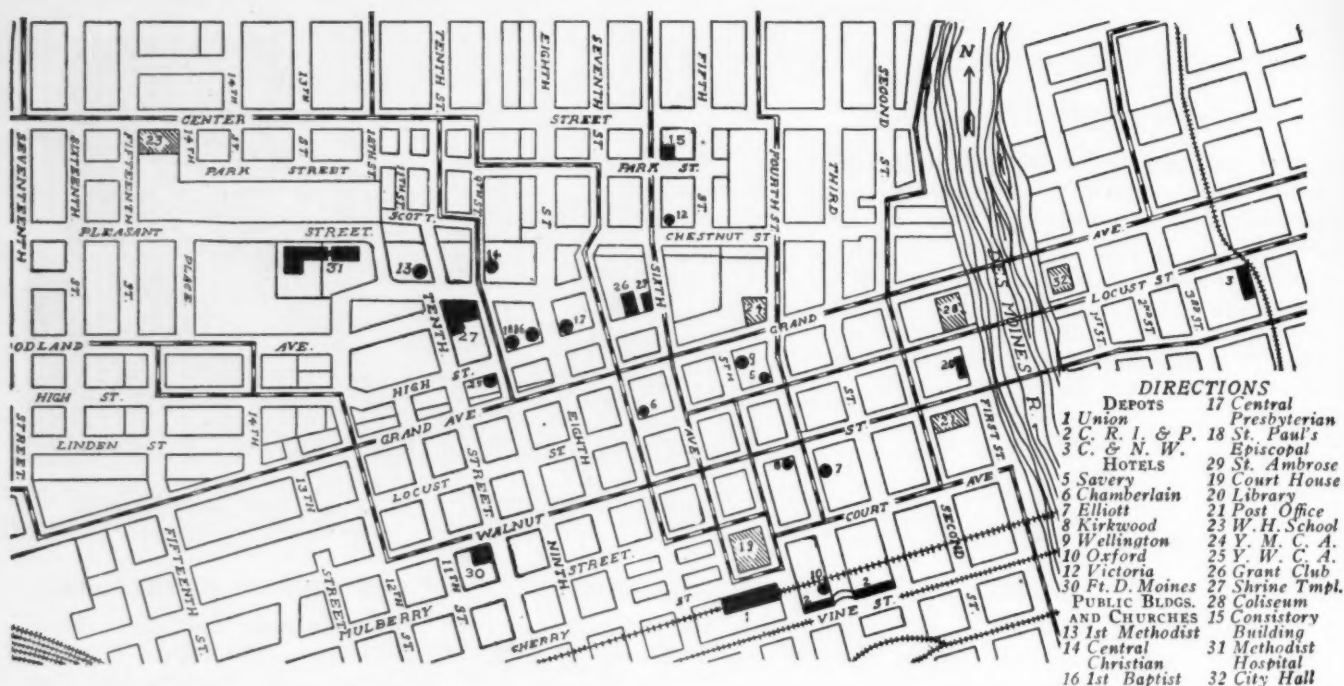
Membership—Honorable Hubert Utterback, 2936 Cottage Grove.

Publicity—T. J. Edmonds, 518 Frankel Building.

Registration—Miss Adah Hershey, R. N. City Hall.

School Co-operation—J. W. Studebaker, Garfield School Building.





All hotels required by the National Conference of Social Work and the Kindred Groups are centrally located and in easy walking distance of all meeting places.

The committee is assigning group organizations to hotels that will best serve the requirements of each.

The following Hotel Headquarters have been engaged:

National Conference of Social Work—Hotel Fort Des Moines.

National Conference of Jewish Social Service—Hotel Fort Des Moines.

American Ass'n for Organizing Family Social Work—Hotel Fort Des Moines.

American Ass'n of Hospital Workers—Hotel Fort Des Moines.

American Ass'n of Psychiatric Social Workers—Hotel Fort Des Moines.

National Association of Travelers Aid Societies—Hotel Chamberlain.

American Association for Community Organization—Hotel Savery.

Child Welfare League of America—Hotel Savery.

National Probation Association—Hotel Savery.

International Ass'n of Police Women—Hotel Savery.

*Address all requests for reservations to:*

G. E. HAMILTON, c/o Chamber of Commerce, stating hotel preference, number to occupy each room, date of arrival and other information. It will not be possible or necessary, that all be assigned to headquarter hotels. All requests for reservations will have prompt and careful attention and assignments made as directed or in equally desirable locations.

DES MOINES has over 6,000 guest rooms in upwards of 40 hotels and apartments all situated in the downtown district and all convenient to convention and assembly halls. For the convenience of convention guests the following is a list of leading hotels and schedule of rates applying to two or more persons. Single rates are available, when desired, at a reasonable reduction from the double rate quoted.

NAME	Without Bath Per Room Two Persons	With Bath Per Room Two Persons	Additional Occupant For Each
BROWN HOTEL Fourth and Chestnut	\$3.00—\$2.50	\$3.50—\$4.00	\$1.00—\$1.50
CHAMBERLAIN HOTEL Seventh and Locust	3.00— 3.50	4.00— 6.00	1.50— 2.00
ELLIOTT HOTEL 219 Fourth Street	2.00— 2.50	3.00— 4.00	1.00— 1.50
HOTEL FT. DES MOINES Tenth and Walnut		5.00— 8.50	2.00
FOSTER HOTEL Eighth and Walnut	2.00— 2.50	2.50— 3.50	1.00
FRANKLIN HOTEL Fifth and Locust		3.00— 5.00	1.00— 2.00
IRWIN HOTEL Sixth and Cherry	2.25	2.50— 4.00	1.00— 1.50
KIRKWOOD HOTEL Fourth and Walnut	2.00— 3.00	3.50— 4.00	1.50— 2.00
LLOYD' HOTEL Sixth and High	2.00	3.50	1.00
MANHATTAN HOTEL 313 Fifth Street	2.50	4.00	
MARTIN HOTEL Third and Locust	2.00— 2.50	3.50— 4.00	1.25
NORTHWESTERN HOT'L E. Fourth and Walnut	2.00— 2.50	3.00— 4.00	
RANDOLPH HOTEL Fourth and Court Ave.	2.50— 3.50	4.00— 5.00	1.00— 2.00
ROGERS HOTEL Sixth and Mulberry	2.00— 2.50	2.50— 3.50	1.00
HOTEL SAVERY III Fourth and Locust		4.00— 7.00	2.00
VICTORIA HOTEL Sixth and Chestnut		3.00— 4.00	1.50
WELLINGTON HOTEL Fifth and Grand	1.50— 2.50	2.50— 3.50	1.00



**CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

Please change my address:

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Mail to National Conference of Social Work, 277 E. Long St., Columbus, Ohio.

**HOTEL RESERVATION**Please reserve ..... room at about \$ ..... per day, from May ..... to May  
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Mail this blank to GEORGE E. HAMILTON, Chamber of Commerce, Des Moines, Iowa.

**SUGGESTIONS FOR OFFICERS 1926-1927**

Clip and Mail to Miss Amelia Sears, 308 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

For list of present officers and members of Executive Committee see elsewhere in this Bulletin

**For President:**

First Choice ..... Address .....

Second Choice ..... Address .....

**For First Vice-President:**

Name ..... Address .....

**For Second Vice-President:**

Name ..... Address .....

**For Third Vice-President:**

Name ..... Address .....

For members of the Executive Committee, stating them in the order of your preference (five to be chosen  
for a term of three years):

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Riverview Park

**Social Workers of America:***Greetings!*

With unmeasured pride and enthusiastic anticipation, We of Iowa await your coming to our Capital City for the National Conference of Social Work.

Our new Shrine Temple will afford facilities for general sessions, registration, and exhibits that will more than meet every requirement. No time will be lost in reaching group meetings, all of which will be found within a radius of two or three blocks.

The sessions of the Conference will be well seasoned with delightful entertaining features including an afternoon at Riverview Park, reception at the State House and innumerable luncheons and dinners for special groups at various city and country clubs for which Des Moines is noted.

We not only want you to COME, but to join our efforts in inducing others in your home communities to attend. Our city will be your city and our services are at your disposal.

DR. A. D. MCKINLEY, President,  
MISS LOUISE COTTRELL, Secretary,  
Iowa State Conference of Social Work.

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